

# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.		32368-189121	
First Inventor	Markus SCHMITZ		
Title	SEPARATING DEVICE FOR A TEXTILE PROCESSING MACHINE		
Express Mail Label No.			

**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

- Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
*(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)*
- Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- Specification [Total Pages 17]  
*(preferred arrangement set forth below)*
  - Descriptive title of the Invention
  - Cross References to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (*if filed*)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
- Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 3 ]
- Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 1]
  - a.  Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
*(for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)*
  - i.  **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
- Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76
- 6a.  Priority is claimed under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 119  
Appln No. 102 31 829.8 filed in Germany on July 15, 2002  
Appln No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed in \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

Continuation     Divisional     Continuation-in-part (CIP)    of prior application No: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
Prior application information:    Examiner \_\_\_\_\_ Group / Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2003

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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 790)

## Complete If Known

Application Number	Not Yet Assigned
Filing Date	Concurrently
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Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned
Group / Art Unit	Not Yet Assigned
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## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001 750	2001 375	Utility filing fee	750
1002 330	2002 165	Design filing fee	
1003 520	2003 260	Plant filing fee	
1004 750	2004 375	Reissue filing fee	
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)		(\$ 750)	
Extension for reply within first month			
Extension for reply within second month			
Extension for reply within third month			
Extension for reply within fourth month			
Extension for reply within fifth month			
Notice of Appeal			
Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
Request for oral hearing			
Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
Petition to revive – unavoidable			
Petition to revive – unintentional			
Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
Design issue fee			
Plant issue fee			
Petitions to the Commissioner			
Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)			
Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
40.00			
Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			
Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
Request for expedited examination of a design application			

## FEE CALCULATION

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## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
13	-20 **	= 0	X 18 = 0
Independent Claims	2	-3 **	= 0 X 84 = 0
Multiple Dependent			X = 0

## Large Entity Small Entity

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
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1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20	
1201 84	2201 42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
1203 280	2203 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
1204 84	2204 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
SUBTOTAL (2)		(\$ 0)	

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SUBTOTAL (3)

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